



How to Make Oatmeal Bread

Healthful to Eat—Saves the Wheat

1 cup flour
1 1/2 cups corn meal
1 teaspoon salt
5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
2 tablespoons sugar

1 cup cooked oatmeal or rolled oats
2 tablespoons shortening
1 1/2 cups milk
No eggs

Sift together flour, corn meal, salt, baking powder and sugar. Add oatmeal, melted shortening and milk. Bake in greased shallow pan in moderate oven 40 to 45 minutes.

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FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

Interesting Letter From

JESS FISH

March 10, 1918.
9th Co. 3rd Bn.
159 Depot Brigade.
Camp Taylor, Ky.

Dear Dad:—

I know you are interested in the "Y" so I'll try my best to tell you something about it. You know what home means to you, the "Y" means the same to we boys only I sometimes think it means more.

Its our church, library, show post office, information bureau, reception hall, and is the best place in the whole camp to write letters.

This is not all either, there is always a kind word here for every one. We hear the best of singing both religious and popular.

I go almost every night when I don't go to school. I see Edd Gentry every day or two. He seems well pleased with the way we are all satisfied. Those of us who are most discontented are the fellows who haven't been out much. I'm always asking who wants to go to the "Y" with me. Generally some of the fellows go. We have a dandy bunch of fellows in our squad room. They take things pretty well. Some of us have been on duty every night and day since we have been here. Some have been K. P.s (kitchen police) some room orderlies, some on carpenter work, while other do nothing much but drill.

The squad I'm in is composed of "big huskies" Raleigh French, Lee Roy Hamilton, John Berry, Bill Warren, Oscar Hibbard, Sherman Owens and a fellow by the name of Bosner from Jefferson county and myself. Those other six fellows are from Rockcastle county. Our company is

made up of the counties of Jefferson, Rockcastle, and

Rockcastle. We stood inspection yesterday and passed the best inspection of any of the companies in the 3rd Bn. both in squad rooms and drills. Our commanding officer certainly did give us a boost. He is one of the finest fellows down here, altho there are some other good fellows.

Lieut. Weeks (the man that trains us) has seen service in the English army. He is a fine fellow too. When we do well he praises us, when we don't, well, he doesn't. Some of the boys are looking forward to good positions and I believe they will make good. Now about our eats that what we like to talk about because we are always hungry. That big cup of coffee, steak, ham, sausage, peas, beans, pinto apples prunes and olives all the onions and pickles (which I have learned to eat) cornbread and lightbread are certainly things that make a fellow feel like a Samson. Our mess kit consists of a pan with a folding handle for meat and vegetables, a cover which we use for desert, a short knife and fork and a short handled big spoon. This kit folds up and makes a nice little kit. Our bunks (or beds) are 30 inches wide 7 feet long made of iron with springs. We put a bed sack on that and a good wool blanket next, then we have two blankets and a big comfort to go on top which makes the finest bed you ever saw. Now I guess you want to know about me. I'm alright just as happy as if I had good sense. You don't have time to get lonesome and there is no need for it any way. My inoculation hurt just a little. We didn't have to drill for thirty six hours so we could rest and we did not notice the effect so much. My vaccination has begun to take. Can't say what it will do. Two

or three of the boys are feeling

"Mandy" and Beck. Here is hoping you are all enjoying the best of health.

Your son,

JESSIE T. FISH.

UNITED STATES BOYS' WORKING RESERVE

Boys between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one, who believe that every individual in the country, including himself, is obligated to do his part toward drubbing the Kaiser, can place themselves where the Government most needs their services by joining at once the United States Boys' Working Reserve. The County

Committee of the Boys' Working Reserve for this locality, is prepared to give boys and parents information concerning any feature of the plan that is clouded in their minds. The big feature that needs no further explanation than a bald statement is that the country needs the boy, and needs him badly, during the coming Summer.

The enrollment card of the Reserve, is nearly self-explanatory of the manner in which the Reserve operates. It was stated, at the outset, that though this army of farm labor constitutes a second line of defense for the country; and an indispensable one, there is no military feature nor any compulsion in the process.

The enrollment card calls for the expression of willingness on the part of the boy to help the country in the present emergency. It calls also for the consent of his parent to his entering the Reserve. It solicits information as to the kind of work that he believes he can do to the advantage, as to the period of time for which he will agree to work and information concerning his experience, if any, in farm work.

It is explained that the boy is not obligated by his enrollment, to go to this locality or to that, when he is asked to go if the locality assigned is not satisfactory to him. The effort will be made, in placing boys, to send each boy to the locality where he desires to serve. Should the first assignment prove unsatisfactory the boy is at liberty to so indicate, and to state his preference as to localities.

As to the degree of compulsion involved in signing the card, it is made plain that the boy who has signed the enrollment card, may at a later date decline work and be released from his pledge, on the written request of his parent or guardian, but only on such written request.

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COME IN AND SEE US

The following is the list of those who will assist Chairman J. L. Pilkenton in the enrollment of the United States Boys Working Reserve: Prof. O. H. Lyon, Prof. L. J. Webb, Mrs. Alice Davis, John Seegins, Miss Delora Boyd, Miss Edith Phillips, Miss Viola DeBoard, R. T. Abney, Miss Martha Jones, Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, Miss Lela Norton, Miss Fannie Wynn, Miss Lena McCall, Cecil Hays, D. C. Bullock, John Scott, Arch Chasteen, Theo. Pigg, W. I. Dooly, Hiatt Mink, E. B. Herron.

To Locate It. All farmers who have seed corn to sell are asked to send their name, address and number of bushels to County Agent. By doing this hundreds of farmers who have no seed corn can get it by seeing County Agent and find out who has it and where to find it.

**Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA**

Danger! Danger!

Seed corn scarce. Something must be done. The farmers who have corn should have it tested before planting or selling it for seed. It doesn't make any difference if the corn does look good it should be tested, and now is the time so as to have plenty of time to make other tests or buy.

There has been four tests made from corn on stalk, shock, shucked and from the crib not shucked, the following result was obtained:

1st test, 43 ears, 15 good, 30 bad
2nd test, 20 ears, 2 good, 18 bad
3rd test, 36 ears, 2 good, 34 bad
4th test, 57 ears, 11 good, 46 bad
This looks serious. We should devote the entire month to testing and helping others testing corn.

SEED CORN TESTED.

Mt. Vernon High School Students directed by Prof. Lyon will test Seed Corn for all the farmers in Rockcastle county, who will take their corn to the school. These tests will be free to the farmers.

Berea College Vocational Department will test all Seed Corn brought in by the farmers. This work will be supervised by Prof. Wm. Baird. These tests will be free also. The farmers should see Prof. Lyon and Prof. Baird at once and make arrangements for the testing.

HELP WANTED NOW.

We all can't go to war but we can do something in this Seed Corn Testing Campaign. All who can test Seed Corn should do it now. Urge Farmers to test their corn—help test corn. Go out and get it and test it for the sake of our country. We need all the seed corn we can find everywhere. Ministers, lawyers, doctors, merchants, and school teachers are urged to join in and help find seed corn for our country by testing it. Enlist Now—Today. It will be too late April or May.

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To prevent the spread of lawlessness in Lee county where troubles have broken out in the region between adverse claimants to land and cases, Governor Stanley requested that U.S. troops be sent there; the state militia having all been mustered into the National army the state is without a military organization, the there is a bill now pending before the legislature for the creation of home guards or organization for military protection for use when needed. The Federal reply to the Governor's application was to the effect that until conditions reached a certain stage and were beyond the control of local and state authorities no Federal soldiers could be legally sent to the affected district in question.

Lee county authorities denounce the reports of extreme lawless acts and claim they are greatly exaggerated and that troops are not needed. An oil man arriving here from the Irvine field in early part of the week claims that conditions are bad up there.

In one fourth of the increase in land valuations among Boone Way, in four of the south east counties of Kentucky, on account of that highway being built thru its territory, was invested in automobiles it would purchase 800 or more which it formed into a motored road would reach a distance of two and a half miles and if the Ford machines was taken it will fill the road from Mt. Vernon to Brodhead a distance of six miles, with seven divers left over or enough for boys to play games of marbles with, putting five in the "ring" and using two for "taws."

The threatened great drive by the Huns against the Allies on the western front appears to have been more of a big bluff than anything else. It appears that the Kaiser has gathered a big force but is fearful of making his "big drive" and is waiting for the attack to be precipitated by the Allies. He, as usual, has been lying when attempting to belittle the American forces.

Now comes forward the Bureau of Fisheries pronouncing edible such sea dwellers as porpoise, whale, small species of shark, mussels and in addition a long string of names new to most of denizens of sea, air and land. It would appear that few should get hungry if they take Uncle Sams advice. It might be a good idea to "ketch more of these animals."

WHALE meat is being sold in city market at about half the cost of beef. A whale ordinarily furnishes 15,000 pounds of beef to the carcass, equal to that of from twenty to twenty five head of cattle. It is said a whale is not a fish. Now if these animals could be driven overland and up into the mountains, porkless days could be run a week at a stretch.

The Louisville Herald advises the Signal that it's city has an uglier man than our Brodhead champion homely specimen. A number of Rockcastle citizens claims to be from the "show me" state beyond the Mississippi. Now let the Herald man bring out his exhibit or kindly desist in our Brodhead friend such needless scares hereafter.

CANNED Gray fish is being extensively introduced at a cost of about half that of salmon. Grocers should secure supplies for their customers.

In the American army in one cantonment there are 7500 foreign born soldiers, representing 46 nationalities.

MANY Central and other Kentucky counties are handicapped in the way of shortage in labor. Between the coal mines of eastern Kentucky and the high prices paid for labor by the numerous war munition works, north of the Ohio river, hundreds of men have been induced to leave Kentucky fields, the a good number have returned yet a shortage of help exists.

The legislature has enacted a law providing for the payment of men summoned for jury service whether they serve or not, at least for one day.

The highest elevation reached by man into the atmosphere is six and a half miles.

Thus liberty is the right to do as you please, if you please to do what is right.

New York,
March 20, 1918.

J. W. Brown,
H. T. Young,
L. W. Bethurum.

Mt. Vernon, Ky.
E. R. Gentry has been appointed for Y. M. C. A. work in France. To meet Government requirements send us night letter, stating how long you have known him, his attitude regarding Socialism and pacifism, and loyalty of himself, relatives and associates. Rush confirmation by letter.

Oscar M. Miller,
War Personnel Force,
124 East 28 St., New York, N. Y.
March 21, 1918.

War Personnel Force,
124 East 28th St., New York, N. Y.
Brown and Bethurum known E. R. Gentry all his life—Young known him three years. He has no toleration for socialism or pacifism. Loyalty of himself, relatives and associates above question. Country and Y. M. C. A. to be congratulated on obtaining services of such a noble man and patriot.

L. W. Bethurum,
J. W. Brown,
H. T. Young.

BRODHEAD

SUPV. W. F. SHERIDAN, Civil Engineer E. C. Hanley, Supt. of Building, J. E. Rawlinson, and Road Master J. D. Hayden, were here one day this week in Supt. Sheridan's private car on business concerning the R. R. Co. It is predicted that the R. R. Co. will spend quite a sum of money here on section houses, water supply and other improvements this summer. Orrin Wallin was in Louisville one day this week taking the examination required of operators, and is now holding down third trick here. Mr. Hutcheson having gone back to the Main line, Mr. Wallin is already a good rail road man having taken lessons under J. R. Cass one of the best men in the L. & N. service. Mrs. H. L. Tharp was here from Junction City during the week the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. R. Cass. J. R. Richie, of Fisk, Ky., is here this week with his son, Prof. Wm. Richie—J. L. Pilkenton was in Mt. Vernon last Friday between trains. Leonard Shelton was here a few days last week from Camp Sheridan. Little Curtis Robins, son of Roy Robins, of Merkel, Texas, died at the home of his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Anderson, of Garrard, last Friday night and his remains were buried at Goshen, Lincoln county, Sunday noon. The little fellow had been afflicted most all his life with spinal trouble, with resulting tuberculosis. For the last several weeks he was forced to sleep on his knees in a rocking chair, being unable to lie down at all. He leaves a little brother and many relatives here, besides his father. E. R. Gentry made a fine talk at the Baptist church last Saturday night before his final leave for New York. The house was filled with enthusiastic friends, who hope for Ed a successful journey. J. M. Robison, of Barbourville, a candidate for the nomination of congress in this district, made one of the very best speeches ever delivered in this town, Thursday night of last week to a house of more than a hundred republicans. Walter Robins was at home from Harlan county from Saturday until Wednesday. R. H. Hicks returned to Harlan last week after spending several days here with home folks. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Roberts were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hayes, at Gum Sulphur, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. John Robins and daughter, Mildred, and W. J. Owens attended the funeral of Curtis Robins at Goshen, Sunday. Miss Clyde Watson and Austin Durham were down from Mt. Vernon and spent from Friday until Sunday with relatives here. The revival at the Christian church began Thursday night. Eld. J. W. Masters, of Corbin, is doing the preaching. Everybody is invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Annie Shumate died at her late home, near here, Sunday afternoon, after a few days illness. Her remains were laid to rest at Maresburg, Tuesday afternoon, after services by Eld. L. N. Bowling. Much sympathy is being expressed for the bereaved ones. Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Cass are going over the arrival of their first born, a twelve and a half pound girl baby. Mrs. L. B. Hill, and her son, James Butler, were with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cass, last Sunday. Mrs. W. H. Fish and Mrs. E. S. Albright, of Mt. Vernon, were here Monday shopping. Prof. Pilkenton received a Carnegie medal the first of the week for saving the life of little Vivian Albright in 1916. Mr. Pilkenton also gets a thousand dollars, but we believe he is prouder of the medal than of the thousand. Wm. Brunnett sold a house and lot near the old farm ground to Kirt Kidwell the first of the week for \$300. R. J. Clark sold a small farm recently bought from Binnett Maddox to C. W. Holcomb, of Laurel, for three hundred dollars.

W. J. McQueen, who bought the H. C. Jones farm adjoining the farm of the late J. T. Tate in the Hatt section a few days ago, sold it this week to J. D. Lucas, of Madison county, for \$3450.00. A few months ago this farm was purchased by Earl Phillips for \$2000. Mr. Phillips sold it to H. C. Jones for \$2750.00, Mr. Jones sold it to W. J. McQueen for \$3200, and Mr. McQueen sold it before he had time to move to it, and we understand Mr. Lucas refused four thousand dollars for it Wednesday of this week. Mr. McQueen is now located in this city and is on the lookout for a farm and will go to Laurel county in a few days to see if land is too high there to buy, but unless he goes right away and the land the advantages are rapidly as the farm just mentioned it will be high enough by the time he finds a suitable location. W. C. Hopkins, who sold his farm to J. J. Belcher last week, held a sale of his personal effects on Copper Creek Tuesday, and is ready to take his leave for Harlan county. Mr. Hopkins is a splendid citizen and we regret to see him leave us. Larkin J. Vanhook died at his late home Wednesday night, and his remains will be buried at Goshen, Lincoln county, to day. He was a soldier in the Civil war and a good citizen. Besides his widow he leaves five children as follows: L. N. Vanhook, of this place; James and George Vanhook, and Mrs. Dave Anderson, of Lincoln county; and Mrs. Cras. Scott, of Garrard county; and a brother, J. N. Vanhook, of Maresburg. Mrs. J. M. Owens, and daughter, Miss Margie, are visiting her daughters, Mrs. G. E. Sutton, of Lexington, and Mrs. Walter Smith, of Winchester, this week.

chester, this week. Mrs. Hiner Thomas, who had been with her brother, Dr. W. F. Carter and family, left Tuesday for Wilmore to spend a few days with relatives there. Mrs. W. F. Carter accompanied her.

E. B. Newland, and son Edgar Dunn, are working at Benham, Harlan county. Jacob Elder, and son, Leslie, are in Louisville this week. D. R. Belcher is moving his family to Flat Lick, Knox county, to make his home. E. S. Albright was here the first of the week on business. Mr. and Mrs. Bronston Elder, were here Thursday the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cass. Chester Howard, of Camp Shelby, Miss., is at home this week with his mother, and Arthur Dodd, of Camp Taylor, Ky., is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dodd, at Ottawa. H. C. Jones sold his personal property Wednesday and will soon move his family to the west. H. T. Young, of Mt. Vernon, will offer for public sale the J. E. Woodard property Saturday. He proposes to divide it into several lots, offer them separately and then as a whole. This is very desirable property and will doubtless bring good prices.

W. E. D. Stokes, the man who built more than a thousand houses in New York, owner of the Ansonia Hotel in that city, and proprietor of Patchen Wilkes Stock Farm, near Lexington, advises his friend, the Boone Way Man, as follows: "When Daniel Boone and Kinman, Henry Miller, owned a large mill near Pent Pleasant, Virginia, 1794-1797, they also had a small foundry at which, among other things was made a special kind of heating stove. The stoves were made several inches in thickness and when heated would retain heat for a long time. One of these stoves in existence and I am going to make efforts to secure it and have it placed on Boone Way, so people can see it."

A splendid letter from Lieutenant (Dr.) George Frith, was received this week and will appear in our next issue.

There are many positions open for competent young men in Y. M. C. A. work, army work, clerical positions etc., etc. Many are called but few are chosen. So many young fellows fail to take advantage of their opportunities to learn and fit themselves to take advantages arising as time passes.

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WITHERS

C. E. Mullins has been sick for the past two weeks. Miss Ben has been on the road for him since he has been sick. J. H. Roberts was in Lexington Tuesday and Wednesday buying goods. Mrs. J. M. Roberts, of Cooksburg, was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Roberts Monday.

There was Sunday school organized at Red Hill Sunday. Mrs. Wm. Carpenter is said to be very sick. Misses Minnie and Ola Durham were the guests of Miss Bitha Daugherty, Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Wm. Cottogim, of Livingston, was with her sister, Mrs. Lewis Bonds who is very sick, Saturday and Sunday. Jones Allen has returned to Boston Station after a few days visit with home folks. Mrs. Ben Mullins was the guest of Mrs. Sarah A. Mullins Sunday. Mrs. Louisa Allen is with Mrs. Wm. Carpenter this week. There has been very little gardening done in this part. J. H. Roberts was in Livingston Monday on business. Mm. Black and little son, are visiting relatives in Laurel this week. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Barnett spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mose Mullins at Cruise. Mr. Art McDaniel is at Berea for a few days with his father, Alex McDaniel.

AUTOMOBILE FOR MARET. Friends of Col. Jim Maret, of Mt. Vernon, are getting up funds with which to purchase him an automobile. He is Kentucky's greatest road advocate and has practically devoted all his time and what money he could earn in promoting the famous Boone Way. Now his friends are determined that he shall not walk and therefore are making up funds to buy him an auto so that he can travel the Boone Way. Danville Advocate.

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FORGOT WHAT HE NEEDED
From the Republican, Mt. Glend, Ohio: The editor had an interesting experience some time ago, when a young gentleman came to his office and asked for a copy of the Morrow County Republican. He scrutinized it carefully when a copy was handed him, and then said: "Now I know!" "What is it you are looking for," we inquired. "My wife sent me after a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I forgot the name. I went to several stores and the clerks named over everything in the line on the shelf except Chamberlain's. I'll try again, and I'll never go home without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." The Republican would suggest to the proprietors of stores, that they post their clerks, and never let them substitutes. Customers lose faith in stores where substituting is permitted, to say nothing of the injustice to makers of good goods and the disappointment of customers.

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Mt. Vernon Signal

Mt. VERNON KY, March 22, 1918

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24 north..... 8:45 a.m.
23 south..... 11:44 a.m.
21 south..... 12:13 a.m.

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PERSONAL

H. J. Mullins visited Richmond during the week.

Prof. T. J. Ball was in Lexington during the week.

Sam McMullins and D. Bostick are home on furloughs.

Henry Wood was over from Wildie a few days since.

Mrs. G. B. Lawrence was up from Level Green Tuesday.

J. J. Brown was up from Level Green Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. C. H. Mullins visited relatives in the Hiatt section this week.

Fillmore Morris of the Red Hill section was in town Wednesday.

J. I. Baker was up from Cedar Hill Tuesday.

Mrs. Jones French of the Rose Hill section has been on sick list for some days.

Toney Brooks with a crew of men are doing some special work here for the L. & N.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones B. Proctor and children were over from Orlando Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Bryant and daughter of Tennessee, were with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bryant Sunday.

Tommy Dees with his father and Prof. W. R. Dickerson were up from Livingston Wednesday.

Charles Parsons, of the Buckeye section of this county is telegraphing for the L. & N. in Powell county.

Mrs. Bicknell, Mrs. Early and Mr. Bert VanWinkle, of Berea, attended the funeral of Mrs. Lou VanWinkle.

Dwight Bowman drove Mr. Murrell's Ford thru to Loban Junction Wednesday and returned by train that night.

Everette Mullins Jr., Wade and Roscoe Hysinger, Cecil Purcell and Hyatt Crawford motored to Lexington Saturday.

Sidney S. O'Dell, of Barbourville, District Deputy M. W. A. is here for a few days working with the local camp.

Joe Noe, ex-merchant has already broken the larger part of twenty acres in his field just beyond the fair grounds.

Mrs. R. A. Sparks and W. A. McKenzie went to Louisville Wednesday afternoon for a week's visit to friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Murrell and son, were called to Taylor county Tuesday to attend the funeral of her brother who died at Camp Taylor.

Corporal Grant Mullins made a round trip from Hattiesburg, Miss., to Fort Thomas, last week to transfer there deserters from the latter place to Mississippi.

Corporal Monroe Miller, of this county, now at Hattiesburg is suffering with his eyes on account of measles having settled in them. He will probably be home on a furlough soon.

Henry Bowman was in from his farm first of week. He says he is making the dirt fly, tho didn't advise whether he had been plowing or knocking up the dust (dirt) on the highway.

Ed Smith still holds his huzz wagon upon stils awaiting the drying up of the mud. Says he doesn't care so much for dust, he can brush that off with a handkerchief but he "naturally" spits mud spread over a lizzie.

Miss Georgia McFerron left Wednesday afternoon for Highland Park in response to a telegram from her sister, Mrs. Neil Coleman, stating that Mr. Coleman and their oldest son were very sick with pneumonia.

Mr. M. C. Williams came over from Somerset Sunday to see his mother and attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Lou VanWinkle. Mr. Williams' youngest son, James, was substantially remembered by Mrs. VanWinkle in her will.

T. C. O'Mara and family will occupy the residence of James Maret, at corner of Williams and Poplar street after April 1st, one room being reserved for the old road scout for his use when visiting his "old home town."

After a three days sojourn in Danville Judge Richard G. Williams came up to Mt. Vernon on Saturday last and was here at the burial Sunday of his aunt Mrs. Lou VanWinkle. The Judge is looking well and was gladly welcomed by his host of Rockcastle friends and admirers. Like other Rockcastle "boys," he has made good.

LOCAL

J. W. Baker, Jr., has a new Ford touring car.

Keep the seed corn in mind. Get it now. Test it.

War gardening is already being pushed here and thereabouts.

New Easter "Bonnets" for men and young men at Fish's.

Hiatt Crawford brought in a Ford from Cincinnati Saturday.

No amount is too small to lend your country Buy War Savings Stamps.

Good quantities of sawn fence from this station.

The Photograph Gallery over Burk's Shoe Shop will be open on Saturday only.

Shafer & Murrin have an oil rig in operation near Johnetta and will soon have the second one going.

Andy Vansant, of near Cooksburg planted an acre of navy beans last year from which he realized \$140, and retained nine bushels.

Gathering corn in March sounds a little off dont it? Well under rigorous winter conditions that has prevailed it couldn't be avoided.

"Sun Dogs" half circles and rings about the sun, showing colors of rainbow was a pretty display viewed by our citizens Saturday afternoon.

Don't forget that broom corn seed, "Brooms are brooms" now. The broom maker is not dead but he's charging tremendous prices for his output. Plant. Get in the game and secure some of the big profits for yourself.

Fred Baker went to Lexington Monday morning taking his Cadillac machine for overhauling; changed his mind while there and traded the auto for a big National and returned home the same day. Fred now has the biggest gas buggy in Rockcastle.

Congressman J. Campbell Cantrell, writing W. H. Fish, treasurer, says: "It gives me genuine pleasure to contribute toward the purchase of an auto for Col. Jim Maret. Col. Maret has done a wonderful work, and I always deeply appreciate his loyal friendship."

The variety of good literature, consisting of 150 or more volumes, contributed to the Mt. Vernon Library, by Mrs. O. S. Nield, of Wilton, is being greatly enjoyed by the boys and girls and many adults, all of whom express due appreciation to the generous and thoughtful donor.

The new rapid firing Browning gun, lately tested out by our Government showed its firing capacity to be 20,000 shots an hour or about seven shots per second. One style of the firearm weighs 35 pounds, which is mounted on a tripod; another weighs 15 pounds and is handled as an ordinary gun.

Hon. W. H. Shanks showed the Interior Journal force four ears of corn, which have been tested for seed. Three tested only about eight or ten per cent, and one was almost perfect. The strange part of it, the one that germinated well was the meanest looking ear in the bunch. —Interior Journal.

Don't wait. Do it now. Buy War Savings Stamps.

Plant some broom corn and gather some dollars this fall.

All kinds of typewriters bought and sold by W. H. Fish, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

W. C. Hopkins sold his place near Gum Sulphur on Copper Creek to J. J. Belcher and has gone to Harlan county to look after his coal interest.

More than forty new automobiles have been counted going south overland to points in Tennessee, North Carolina and other southern states during past ten days.

CARD OF THANKS.—We wish to thank the people and friends who were so kind and good to us during the illness and death of our dear beloved mother.

WADE DURMAN AND SISTER.

Mr. Chas. Sullivan, of Locust Point, Ind., and Mrs. Sallie Soward were married Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Renner. They will make their home in the Hoosier state, where Mr. Sullivan is a well-to-do farmer.

An ordinary broom costs \$1. This surely ought to stimulate the planting of broom corn in Rockcastle. A broom factory will be established in Mt. Vernon and farmers will be enabled to dispose of their crops at good prices.

Mrs. Fred Baker, while getting in an automobile Tuesday night, fell and sustained serious injuries.

Mrs. Baker's injury is of such a serious nature that she will be taken to London to day to undergo an operation.

Under the new court calendar as changed by act of the recent Legislature, the April Term of the Rockcastle Circuit Court has been changed to convene the First Monday in May, instead of the Third Monday in April. Please take notice of the change.

On Sunday March 31st all clocks, (and your watch also if you have one), must be set one hour ahead Congress has passed a bill to that effect, which was signed by the president on Tuesday last. The time pieces will be set back on last Sunday in October. The changes are to be made at 2 a. m. on above dates.

PATRIOTIC. Logan D. Taylor, of this place, who was honorably discharged at Hattiesburg, in January from army service on account of physical disability, on advice of the physicians in charge has put in his application as a volunteer and asks to be enlisted again, saying he thinks he is fit and hopes to be accepted for service "over there."

Harry Jones sold his farm near Hiatt last week to Wm. McQueen for \$3250.00. In two or three days McQueen sold the same place to J. Jackson county man for \$3450.00. This is the same place Earl Phillips sold Harry Jones less than four months ago for \$2750.00. Phillips bought it less than two years ago from Geo. Payne for \$2500.00 and the folks thought Phillips was crazy paying such a price then.

Every boy in our county from sixteen to twenty-one years of age is to be enrolled in the Boys' Working Reserve. When a boy has worked on a farm or in certain other essential employment for thirty six days he is to be given a bronze medal by the Government and a certificate which he can treasure all his life. This work gives every red blooded boy a chance to help support a soldier. Enrollment officers have been appointed for all precincts in every county. See list in this week's Signal.

Capt. McKenzie Brown writes some interesting letters to his mother, Mrs. Cleo Brown, at this place from Mesopotamia, where he is serving in the British service, fighting the Turks. Mesopotamia (meaning between two rivers), is located between the Euphrates and the Tigris, which streams, after forming a junction flow into the Persian Gulf. This country lies east of Palestine and its border (the Euphrates), is nearly four hundred miles from Jerusalem. Captain Brown was in this holy city some time back.

Something new every day at Fish's. Come and see.

Save the quarters and see the dollars grow. Buy War Savings Stamps.

A canvasser will shortly tour the Boone Way route in the interest of the Boone Way Pioneer fund.

Mrs. Campbell, Secretary of Christian Woman's Board of Missions for Kentucky, and Mrs. Stanley, Secretary of Circle Work for young women of the State, will have charge of the morning service at the Christian Church. These women have a world vision and a message vital to every Christian. There will be a conference at the church for C. W. B. M. workers at 3:30 p. m.

MOONLIGHT RAINBOW. Dr. Lee Chesnut observed a beautiful rainbow, created by the light of the moon, one night last week at 8 o'clock in the morning. Knowing the scarcity of "moonshine" and Doc's abstemiousness along that line, we are led to believe he saw what he believes he saw, and others are led to believe the same that which Doc says he believes, there being no reason why they shouldn't believe. If there are any who don't believe let him speak out or forever hold his peace.

Mrs. Lou VanWinkle has come to and passed out from "life's little day," and while, as a whole it was not the coming to the "close of a perfect day" yet it was a life of calmness and serenity such as we seldom know.

And almost free from sadness and discord. Much of her life—yes the part that was best and that should have been most fruitful for her own ultimate happiness was devoted to the care of others. Being the youngest of thirteen children, it fell to her lot to care for the wants of her parents in their old age. And, to mark the happiness of a "perfect day," back yonder a youth went away to the civil war and never came back. Hence she did not marry in her youth, and no children came to her to give loving care to her when she became old and helpless, and to mourn her passing.

She was married twice, the first husband being James Bowler, who passed away some twenty years ago. After a widowhood of some ten years, her second marriage was with the late Jas. VanWinkle, who preceded her into the "beyond" by only thirteen months. The second marriage (the only one known by the writer) was a most beautiful one. Mr. VanWinkle was a teacher and a literary man; and along this latter line the lives of husband and wife blended in most perfect harmony; not only did the couple appreciate and love the finer and higher phases of literature (the soul of things) but they both were "live wires" on current world events even to the close of their day (80 and 76 respectively), when so very many people who attain such ripe old ages, "become people of the past." And, furthermore, these people gave of themselves to others up to the very time of their passing.

While Aunt "Lou" (which we all loved to call her) was an invalid for more than a year prior to her passing, and much of the time practically helpless, yet only a few weeks ago she expressed the desire to live longer that she might help others. As an illustration of her "helping others," she joined actively in giving to war demands, notwithstanding her own income was but meager, and hardly sufficient to keep herself in comfort. Yet, as the widow gave her mite—so did Aunt Lou.

But as touching our tribute to her, of what value are bouquets to the dead? Rather let us send our flowers to living, while they can appreciate them. Yet since the calm, quiet and useful life came to its close, let us draw the curtain in tender memory, and not forget all its benefits to others remembering that the "life of the just is as a shining light" that shineth more and more unto a perfect day.

William Williams, of Aztec, New Mexico is the only remaining member of the family of thirteen children of Richard G. Williams. Mrs. VanWinkle was the thirteenth member of the family.

New Clothes for Easter

Get them early

THAT'S an established idea. Everything has the new look about this time; men usually like to be "in it," too.

Your spring suit—the one we know you'll pick out as the best one for you—is here ready for you to wear. It's a FISH SPECIAL suit, of course; we know you want something good.

Don't wait until somebody else has taken the one you want.

Easter comes March 31st.

Get ready now in clothes and furnishings.

Next time you are in town come in and see us. We're as glad to "show" the goods as we are to "sell" them.



DON'T TAKE A CHANCE ON YOUR SPRING CLOTHES; COME HERE AND BE SURE.



PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Next Sunday, March 24th, Miss Stewart's Bible Class, will meet in the church at 9:45 a. m., but the other Sabbath School classes will meet in their respective rooms in Langdon School.

The regular preaching services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in McFarland Memorial Church. At 2:30 o'clock, Sunday afternoon the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated and new members will be publicly received.

There will be no preaching services at night, but the Senior and Junior Christian Endeavor Societies will meet at usual hours in Langdon Chapel and music room.

The pastor will preach in Presbyterian church at Livingston, Thursday and Friday evenings, March 28 and 29, at London, Saturday evening and Easter morning, returning to Livingston for Easter services, Sunday evening, March 31st.

Eberhart the London Photographer will be here a few more Saturdays.

The Mt. Vernon Telephone Company are completing a new line of poles from Orlando to a point half mile below Buckeye where it joins the Wildie-Climax line. An additional wire will be strung from Mt. Vernon to Brush Creek. A number of improvements have been made on the system and sixty two telephones have been added to the service during past few months. Comparing the system with other counties, it is up with any of them and beyond many of them in point of service rendered. Owners, managers and operators are to be commended and complimented over results obtained in their efforts to give satisfaction for value received.

A baggage master whose run is between Louisville and Corbin was asked if he knew the population of Mt. Vernon. He replied: "No, but after my next trip I can tell you. I will count them. All of them, except those who are ill, meet all passenger trains at the station daily, and I am advised that arrangements are to be made to bring the ill ones down to depot in autos, wagons, drays, pushcarts, wheelbarrows or other vehicles of transportation, to assist in getting trains thru the place."

This man's statement, while a little exaggerated, calls to mind the foolish habit quite a number of our people are addicted to. It is difficult at times for passengers to get on and off trains on account of the unnecessary visitors many of whom thoughtlessly, or otherwise block up the space on platform. It is proving an unmitigated nuisance and should be discontinued. If you can't break the habit try at least to keep out of the way of passengers, agents and trainmen attending their duties.

FOR SALE.—My four room residence with good lot and outbuildings in Orlando, Ky. Would sell at a bargain or trade for a small farm. My only reason for selling is on account of my health. This is a good location for a Doctor, none closer than five miles. If interested write, call on or call up.

JONES B. PROCTOR, Orlando, Ky.

FOR SALE.—One odd black mule, 6 yrs old, sound and good. Will sell right for cash.

J. M. COX, Goochland, Ky.

21. Mar. 29.

Better have that Photo taken while you have the chance.

LIVINGSTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Arrangements have been completed for preaching services in this church next Thursday and Friday evening, March 28 and 29, by the Rev. Frank E. Moore, of Mt. Vernon.

Mr. Moore will preach in London, Saturday evening and Easter morning, returning to Livingston for Easter sermon, Sunday evening, March 31.

The residence and most of the contents of James Lawrence, which building was situated on Adams street, was destroyed by fire last Friday night. Origin of fire unknown. Property was insured. Mr. Lawrence bought Geo. Owens' property on West Main and moved to it this week.

J. W. Baker has move his store from the Rockcastle building to the D. C. Poynter room on south side of Main street.

The Boy's Declamatory Contest of the Mt. Vernon High School took place March 7th. All of the contestants did credit to themselves. After careful deliberation the judges gave the medal to John Albright. His subject was the "Traitor's Deathbed." He delivered it in a very pleasing manner. The other contestants were Milton Moore, Julian Miller, Claude McHargue, Robert Davis and Robert Fish. Julian Miller and Claude McHargue deserve honorable mention.

White Plymouth Rocks. The best winter layers. Eggs \$1.50 per setting.

W. H. MILLER, Phone 79.

That telephone magnate, J. F. Dees was here Tuesday in "overalls," putting on the appearance of a working man. "He sho do work," when he is at it. Mr. Dees is feeling pretty good over his successful management of his telephone system and the people are pretty well satisfied with splendid service given thereon.

Old clothes are being collected at Red Cross headquarters for the Belgians. If you have any that you are willing to send, have them at Red Cross headquarters by next Tuesday.

Catarrh and Bronchitis

and Cold in the Head

Recommend

PE-RU-NA

These who object to liquid medicine can secure Pe-Ru-NA tablets.

Mrs. Rosa A. Kiss, 318 Clinton Place, Kansas City, Missouri, writes: "I was very sick with Catarrh and Bronchitis. I also had a cold in the head. I used Pe-Ru-NA and am well pleased with the results. It has done me a great deal of good. I do not need any other medicine. I can cheerfully recommend it to any one who is troubled with catching cold frequently or any one who has a chronic cough or chronic catarrh. Those wishing further particulars concerning my case may write me. Be sure to enclose a stamp and I will answer."

To The American People

There is no foundation for the alleged violations of law attributed to our Company by agents of the Federal Trade Commission and I want to say emphatically that Swift & Company is not a party to any conspiracy to defraud the Government. Nor has Swift & Company been guilty of improperly storing foods or of making false entries or reports.

Conferences of packers, where prices have been discussed, have been held at the urgent request and in the presence of representatives of either the Food Administration or the Council of National Defense. And yet the packers have been accused of committing a felony by acting in collusion on Government bids!

We have done our best, with other packers, large and small, to comply with the directions of the United States Food Administration in all particulars, including the furnishing of food supplies for the U. S. Army and Navy and the Allies, now being handled through the Food Administration.

We will continue to do our utmost, under Government direction, to increase our production and assist the Food Administration. We consider that the opportunity to co-operate wholeheartedly and to our fullest powers with this branch of the Government is our plain and most pressing duty.

The Trade Commission Attorney has, by false inference and misplaced emphasis, given to disconnected portions of the correspondence taken from our private files and read into the Record, a false and sinister meaning with the plain purpose of creating antagonistic public opinion.

The services of the packers of the United States are most urgently needed, and I regret exceedingly that we should at this time have to spend our efforts in defending ourselves against unfounded, unproved, and unfair assertions such as are being daily made public.

L. I. Swift, President

Swift & Company, U.S.A.

Purposes Of the Boys' Working Reserve

1. The purpose of the U. S. Boys Working Reserve is to enroll boys between 16 and 21 years of age in some productive service at least during the vacation period, and help them get properly located.

2. Boys may work on farms, around mines, railroads, or some "essential industry" to the War Program of the Government, and earn the Federal Badge of Honor.

3. Boys may work on their farms, their father's farms, or may hire out at agreed wages.

4. Some schools dismiss boys of certain standing for a special period to help in emergency farm work, with full school credit.

5. No military service is required in this enrollment. The Boys Working Reserve has no connection whatever with the Army or the Navy; it is organized under the Department of Labor at Washington.

6. No boy is enrolled without parents' or guardians' consent. Boys will not be taken from their own homes, but can earn the certificate and medal working on their fathers' farms as on any other.

7. The U. S. Boys Working Reserve is organized under the Department of Labor, Washington, is a part of the program of the Kentucky State Council of Defense.

AWARDS:
8. When a boy takes the oath of allegiance and service, he is given a certificate with the seal of our great Government, and a small enrollment button.

9. If the boy works as much as thirty-six days of eight hours each on a farm, or sixty days of eight hours each in some "essential industry" he is awarded the Federal Bronze Badge of Honor on the recommendation of the County Director, who gets a certificate from the farmer that so much work has been done.

10. The names of boys earning the Bronze Badge are registered with the Department of Labor at Washington.

11. Farmers haven't much use for cigarette smoking boys.

Children of
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

Life Was a Misery

Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes:
"From the time I entered into womanhood... I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. Nothing seemed to help me until, one day, I decided to

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"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain."

"It has now been two years since I took Castoria, and I am still in good health. I would advise any woman who is a sufferer from any female trouble."

If you suffer from pain caused from womanly trouble, or if you feel the need of a good strengthening tonic to build up your run-down system, take the advice of Mrs. Jones. Try Castoria. It helped her. We believe it will help you.

All Druggists

"Major Martin our family would have been glad to have entertained you at meals and otherwise long before this but supposed you were so busily engaged answering invitations from friends, that you would be unable to fill them all to include our humble home with your presence. We are indeed glad to have you with us."

"Well," the major replied: "I appreciate being with you and have enjoyed your hospitality to the fullest extent, but I am reminded of the fact that the saying by the lowly Nazarine, made more than eighteen hundred years ago: 'A prophet is not without honor save in his own country.' Yours is the fourth invitation I have received in my home town, to visit a family during the years of my work."

The above dialogue took place some time ago in a little Michigan town, near one of the Great Lakes. Jasper Martin, whom many called a dreamer, conceived the idea of the construction of a canal to connect the lake with an inland river. After two years strenuous efforts he attracted some attention, in the meantime was looked upon by enemies and some of his friends as being off his balance, altho he had demonstrated by figures and otherwise the vast benefits to and the increased valuation of farms and all property along the proposed route of the canal. The doubting Thomases hindered the proposition. However the undertaking carried and three million dollars was raised the work completed and Jasper was then the lion of the hour. When friends started a movement to provide Jasper with a \$1,000 motor boat to be used by him in the canal of which he was the prime cause of its building, things moved mightily slowly, but was finally accomplished thru the generosity of virtually strangers, citizens of adjoining and other states. — Fleming (Wis.) Times.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for and case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Robert Gentry—The Short One—Say, you big, long-legged giraffe, you're so tall that when you smoke a cigar at night you look like a lighthouse.

Robert Harry—The Tall One—Shut up, you little sawed-off hammeled down runt. You're so darned little that when you smoke a cigarette, you look like a cigarette holder.

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BAD TASTE IN YOUR MOUTH

When you have a bad taste in your mouth you may know your digestion is faulty. A dose of Chamberlain's Tablets will usually correct the disorder. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels. You will find this to be one of the best medicines you have ever become acquainted with.

FOR SALE:—One Iron Grey Jack about 15 hands high weight about 1000 pounds, one of the best breeders in the state, age 7 years in May of this year. This Jack was imported from Indiana 1918. Also one fine combined (black) saddle and harness Stallion 4 years old May 20th, this year, 16 hands high weight about 12 hundred pounds. This Stallion is a son of M. Donn, No 3623. For further particulars call on or address, M. J. BETHURUM, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

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Col. "Jim" Maret, president of the Boone Highway Association came to Louisville from Mt. Vernon recently to attend to some highway business of importance. At a little talk-fest at the Automobile Club, Col. Maret told the story of an old couple who were suddenly enriched by the discovery of oil on their farm in the mountains.

"Liza, you have been a mighty faithful wife," said the old man, who had been offered a fortune for the oil rights, "and I want you to have anything that you want—something that you have wanted for years—something that we have been too poor to

buy—you can have anything you want—just tell me what it is."

"Well, I sure do need a new choppin' ax fer gettin' up my stove wood," said the old woman. —Kentucky Motorist.

TRY THIS FOR SOUR STOMACH.

Eat slowly, masticate your food thoroughly. Eat but little meat and none at all for supper. If you are still troubled with sour stomach take one of Chamberlain's Tablets before going to bed.

JOHN WHITE & CO.,
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Liberal assortment and full value paid for raw FURS.
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PUBLIC SALE

OF
Real Estate IN THE TOWN OF Brodhead

On Saturday, March 23rd
1918

I will offer For Sale to the highest and best bidder the following Real Estate, located in the town of Brodhead:

One House and Lot known as the J. E. WOODYARD property, and recently occupied by B. T. Young. This includes a good house, out buildings, garden and pasture. Also Four BUILDING LOTS adjoining this property, three lots abutting Main Street on the north, and one lot opposite dwelling on south side of street.

Also 30 ACRES of BOTTOM LAND just north of the railroad.

This property will be offered separately and as a whole.

In addition there will be offered for Sale about 300 bushels of Good FEED CORN.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

Sale starts promptly at 2 o'clock.

TERMS:—One-third cash, balance in equal payments to become due, one-half Jan. 1, 1919, and the balance Jan. 1, 1920, bearing 6 per cent interest with lien retained on property for purchase money.

This March 15, 1918.

H. C. JONES
AUCTIONEER

H. T. YOUNG

Don't Read THIS.

You had better not read this unless you want to be reminded that it is your duty to buy some

War Saving Stamps
and help win the War.

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